

**A Guide to the Right Investments**

For those who have not had extensive experience in selecting investments we shall be glad to explain the facts regarding some of the securities experienced investors are now buying for either conservative or semi-speculative purposes.

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**CURB MARKET IS WEAKER AT CLOSE**

Early Strength Is Not Continued Through Session—Few Issues Remain Steady.

After early strength prices for curb stocks yesterday turned irregular, in the afternoon no definite trend was in evidence. A few issues remained steady, but most stocks which had displayed early strength weakened, some closing below and others above last week's final closing.

Tobaccos were among the strongest stocks in the list, closing near the top levels of the day. A. T. Securities and Tobacco Products Export were the most active and advanced several points. General Asphalt was firm early, but later reacted, and Vanadium Steel lost several points from its early high. Alnagamated Leather was a weak feature, declining almost 20 points.

Gulf Oil featured the oils, selling to a new high. Its new preferred stock was traded in for the first time. According to reports from the Homer field the company has brought in its second well in that field with a flow of about 20,000 barrels. White Oil, Shell Trading and Simms Petroleum weakened after rising at the opening.

Heavier activity was displayed in the mining section. Consolidated Virginia featured the list with an advance of 4 points to a new high, due to reports that a vein of ore opened up at the property was running several hundred dollars a ton.

Total sales and range of prices follow:

**INDUSTRIALS.** Net High, Low, Last, Change.

Sales. High. Low. Last. Change.

1900 Arms Coal ..... 65 65 65 +1

1900 Arma Explosives ..... 85 85 85 +1

1900 Air Reduction ..... 515 515 515 +1

1900 Al. La. French ..... 150 150 150 +1

1900 Arms. The Stores ..... 150 150 150 +1

1900 Am. Marconi ..... 150 150 150 +1

1900 Am. Tph. Sec. ..... 65 65 65 +1

1900 Am. Steel ..... 515 515 515 +1

1900 Am. Leather pf. 50 50 50 +1

1900 Brit. Am. Chemicals ..... 8 8 8 +1

1900 Brit. Am. T. Reg. ..... 200 200 200 +1

1900 Bucyrus ..... 50 50 50 +1

1900 Carb. Hydrogen ..... 4 4 4 +1

1900 Gulf. Corp. pf. 50 50 50 +1